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11. The Department has reviewed its files and finds that it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights at this time by the members of the Iraqi Security Forces listed below. Department strongly suggests that visa applications for both individuals be filed with as much time as possible to allow for additional processing procedures that may be required. Note that if, at any time, the Embassy becomes aware of any information regarding incidents which could be deemed to be credible information of a gross violation of human rights by any of these individuals, the Embassy should so inform the Department.

2. The names of the proposed candidates (ref a) are as follows:

NAME: Habib Hussen Abbas EL MHYOWE

RANK: Major General,

POSITION: Director of Organization Directorate, Iraqi Army

DOB: July 1, 1954

TYPE OF TRAINING: FMS Senior Symposium

TRAINING LOCATION: DISAM Wright-Paterson AFB, Ohio

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NAME: Mohammed Shamil Mohammed ALDORI

RANK: Brigadier General

POSITION: Director, Army Chief of Staff Office, Iraqi Army

DOB: June 9, 1964

TYPE OF TRAINING: FMS Senior Symposium

TRAINING LOCATION: DISAM Wright-Paterson AFB, Ohio

DATES OF TRAINING: September 21 - 28, 2008

NAME: Ramadhan Abdullah Ramadhan RAMADHAN

RANK: Brigadier General

POSITION: Deputy of Contract Directorate, Iraqi Army

DOB: February 9, 1951

TYPE OF TRAINING: FMS Senior Symposium
TRAINING LOCATION: DISAM Wright-Paterson AFB, Ohio

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NAME: Raad Abdulhameed Mohammed AL ZEHHAWI

RANK: Brigadier General

POSITION: Directorate of Armament & Supply, Iraqi Army

DOB: August 22, 1954

TYPE OF TRAINING: FMS Senior Symposium
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